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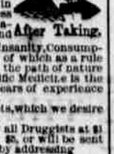
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Poetical.

THE POLITICAL ECONOMIST AND THE TRAMP.

Walking along a country road,
While yet the morning air was damp,
As unrefle ting, on I strode,
I marked approach the frequent tramp.

The haggard, ragged, careworn man
Accost d me in plaintive tone,
"I must have food"—he straight began;
"Vile miscreant!" I cried, "begone!"

"'Tis contrary to every rule
That I my fellows shou'd assist
I'm of the scientific schoo',
Political- economist.

'Dost thou not know, deluded one,
That Adam Smith has clearly proved
That 'tis self interest alone
By which the wheels of life are moved?

"That competition is the law
By which we either live or die;
I've no demand thy labor for,
Why, then, should I thy wants supply?

"And Herbert Spencer's active brain
Shows how the social struggle ends:
The weak die out, the strong remain;
'Tis this that Nature's plan intends.

"Now, really, 'tis absurd of you
To think I'd interfere at all;
Just grasp the scientific view,
The weakest must go to the wall."

My words impressed his dormant thought,
"How wise," he said, "is Nature's plan!
Henceforth I'll practice what you've taught
And be a scientific man.

"We are alone—no others near
Or even within hailing distance;
I've a good club, and now right here
We'll have a struggle for existence

"The weak must die—the strong survive
Let's see who'll prove the hardest hittist,
So if you wish to keep alive
Prepare to prove yourself the fittest.

"If you decline the text to make
And doubt your chances of survival,
Your watch and pocket-book I'll take,
As competition strips a rival."

What could I do but yield the point,
Though conscious of no logic plunder?
And as I quaked in every joint,
The tramp departed with his plunder.

Select Story.

JULIA'S SACRIFICE.

The afternoon light came in, subdued and mellow, through the stained glass windows of the stately church and fell upon the brilliant concourse gathered there, in honor of the nuptials of Horace Napier and Julia Mellville.

A beautiful bride, and a handsome groom but not one gleam of happiness was there on either face; as cold and hard as marble she appeared, and he as proud and stately as a prince.

Near them stood two men, who, ever and anon, looked at each other, the one with triumph in his glance, the other with ill-suppressed dislike.

The ceremony over, congratulations began.

He with the triumph in his glance, was first; he took the cold hand of the bride, saying, glibly:

'In seeing you my son's wife, I behold the consummation of my highest hopes.'

She bowed haughtily, and turned from him abruptly, and yielded to the embrace of the other one, who whispered to her:

"My daughter—my daughter! that you should have made this sacrifice even to save me from ruin!"

Her face, bowed to his shoulder, told of keenest anguish; but when she raised it, it told only of resolution.

'I can bear it gladly,' she said, 'when I know that by it I have released you from his power,' with a disdainful nod toward her husband's father.

A few hours after, she and her husband, in their new home, were alone together for the first time since he had asked her to be his wife.

All the resolution was gone from her face it, and her deep blue eyes, told only of anguish and hate.

Pride still sat upon his brow, but more apparent than that was the look of pain that spoke from his hazel eyes.

With a yearning gesture, he reached forth his hand to take hers; but she turned from him, saying, in low, intense tones:

'Let there be no mockery between us. I cannot assume what I do not feel; do not make me dispise you more than I already do.'

'What!' he exclaimed. 'Do you hate me, Julia?'

She did not see the agony on his face as he asked that question.

'She replied, passionately:

'Is it not mockery to ask me that? You know that I hate you—that I have sold myself to you——'

'Stay,' he interrupted, proudly; 'did you say you sold yourself to me?'

'I did.'

'For what?'

'Your ignorance would be amusing were it not so despicable. You know well, sir, why I have sold myself to you.'

'I do not,' he replied, earnestly. 'I simply know that when I asked you to be my wife, you assented.'

'What!' she cried, hotly, her eyes flashing her bosom heaving, her frame trembling with ire. 'Do you mean to tell me that you know nothing of the indebtedness of my father to yours? that to avert threatened ruin I paid the price your father demanded—which was to marry you and give you some social position? Do you not know all this?'

'No,' he said firmly, his lips livid, his hands clenched tight. 'I know that I have desired to win you, but your indifference to me kept me silent till my father told me that you would become mine. Will you not believe me, Julia, when I say that I was not aware that you had been forced into this?'

'No,' she cried angrily, 'I will not believe you! You have done a despicable act, and now seek to screen yourself by a falsehood I have no faith in you at all.'

That proud look settled back on his face, and he said coldly:

'Very well; we are strangers then. You have sold yourself for my wealth; you shall find that you have not sacrificed yourself in vain.'

Oh, what a dreary, weary existence followed! they seldom met, except at inable, and then only the stateliest formalities were exchanged between them.

The first interruption that came was the arrival of an invitation from that circle into which Horace Napier, the son of the vulgar shoddyite, had never been able to effect an entrance.

Julia found it upon the table in her room, and she sent it to her husband, saying, bitterly, to herself:

'I have gained my object; he will demand that he shall gain his.'

She was surprised by the almost immediate return of the invitation accompanied by the following words:

'I beg to be excused from entering any sphere where I am admitted on sufferance. Your father can act as your escort, so I know I am not depriving you of any pleasure by my refusal.'

To say that Julia was astounded, is but half expressing her feelings.

'Could I have wronged him in refusing to believe him?' she thought.

Then she added, disdainfully:

'This is more of his hypocrisy.'

Still though she would not acknowledge it, this refusal of his placed him much higher in her estimation; she felt piqued that he would not wait upon her, yet she

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Friday, JAN. 17, 1879.

AUDITOR GENERAL'S REPORT.

We have received a copy of this document, and find therein the following items of interest to the tax payers of this county, as part of the revenue of the commonwealth.

Total amount of state taxes as returned by the county commissioners,	$623 19
Amount of property subject to tax of 3 mills on the dollar,	$349,629
Amount of property subject to a tax of 1 per cent,	$31,460
Total amount of tax on watches,	$104 50
Gross amount of taxes due the commonwealth,	$1,467.99
Population,	28,761
Taxables,	6,999
TAX ON CORPORATION STOCK.	
Berwick Rolling Mill Co,	$22,95
Bloomsburg Iron Co.,	$300,00
Catawissa Bridge Co.,	$370,81
Espy Lime & Cement Co.	110,25
Jackson & Woodin Mf'g Co.	630,00
Locust Mountain Coal & Iron Co.	1,515,00
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Tax on personal property for Columbia county,	$586,11
Tax on loans, Bloomsburg,	$42,46
" " " Columbia county,	$36,20
Tax on Loans, Berwick,	$1,35
TAX ON WRITS, WILLS, DEEDS &c.	
B. F. Zarr, Prothonotary,	$554,59
W. H. Jacoby, Register & Recorder,	$144,05
RETAILERS LICENSES.	
H. W. McReynolds, Treasurer,	$1,479.61
Tavern licenses, paid by Treasurer,	$1,444 09
Eating House licenses,	$190,00
Patent Medicines,	$14,25
TAX ON BANK STOCK.	
1st National Bank, Bloomsburg,	$475,00
The Bloomsburg Banking Co., paid on net earnings or income,	$81,77
Jackson, Woodin & Jackson,	$78,00
Berwick Rolling Mill,	$100 ,00
Columbia county has received for its common schools,	$6,435,71
State Normal School 6th District,	$6,873,40
The militia expenses of the state for the year were,	$160,687,74
Amount paid for suppressing the strike riots in 1877,	$584,811,63
The total receipts by the state were	$5,513,417,97
Total expenditures,	$6,653,933,58

Authority of Parents Over their Children's School Studies.

In the case of Trustees of Schools against Van Allen, the question as to what right the parent has to direct the studies pursued by his child who attends a public school is considered. It is held that the trustrees of a school district may prescribe what studies shall be pursued and may regulate the classification of the pupils, but that a parent may select from the branches pursued those which the child shall study, so long as the exercise of such selection does not interfere with the system prescribed for the school, and that the child cannot be excluded from one study simply because he is deficient in another. In this case the pupil was denied admission to a public high school because of his deficiency in a knowledge of grammar, which his father had forbidden him to study. He had asked to be admitted to pursue only those studies in which he was sufficiently proficient to entitle him to admission to the high school. The Court held that a rule requiring his exclusion was unreasonable and could not be enforced. In Morrow against Wood, in Wisconsin, a father directed his child, who attended a public school, to study only certain branches among those taught in the school. The teacher, with notice of such direction, required the child to study other subjects, and upon his refusal to do so whipped him. This was held to be an unlawful assault. In Ruleson against Post, in Illinois, a girl, 16 years of age, was in attendance upon a public school, to the benefit of which she was entitled, and was in a class which, by the course of study prescribed by the directors of the school, was required to study book-keeping. Under the direction of her parents she refused to pursue the study, and for that reason was, by the teacher, acting under the order of the directors, forcibly expelled from the school. The Court held that the directors and teacher were all liable in an action of trespass, the directors having no power to prescribe such a rule or to authorize the teacher to enforce it.—*Albany (N. Y.) Law Journal*

In considering the changes in the party vote in South Carolina, it is well to keep in mind a few facts bearing upon the reforms instituted by the Democrats since their return to power The expenses of the State Legislature are particularly in point. In 1870-71 the total expenses of the South Carolina Republican Legislature were, in round numbers, eight hundred and twenty two thousand dollars; in 1871-72, one million five hundred and thirty-three thousand dollars; in 1872-73, nine hundred and eight thousand dollars; in 1873-74, nine hundred and twenty-two thousand dollars. In 1877, under the new Democratic regime, they were at once reduced to $84,096. Again, it is worthy of note that since 1876, when the Republican administration was overthrown the attendance of colored children in the public schools of the State has increased nearly thirteen thousand over the number attending during the Republican regime. To the unbiased mind it will perhaps not be thought surprising, in the light of these facts, that there are not a few Democratic negroes in South Carolina.—*Phila. Record.*

Benjamin Hunter, the murderer of John Armstrong in Camden about a year ago, was hanged at the Court House in that city on the 10th inst. During the trial and until within a few days before the execution he exhibited much indifference, but as the time drew near his courage gave way, and on Friday he lost consciousness and had to be carried to the gallows, and supported while the noose was being adjusted. The rope was too long and after being jerked into the air he came down so that his feet nearly touched the floor. The sheriff and his deputies seized the rope and hoisted him nearly to the ceiling until he was strangled. It was a terrible scene and the sheriff has been severely censured for the miserable arrangements. The law pretends to be humane but its execution in this case was barbarous.

A Wilkes-Barre Forger Caught.

Thomas D. Conyngham, a forger from the United States, has been captured in Rio Janeiro. The Brazilian government has signified its willingness to surrender him to justice, and he will be returned to New York by the next packet.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, D. C., Jan, 13., 1879.

We are likely to have investigations enough. Besides the Teller Committee and Committees which have long been in session here in the examination of the affairs of various Departments, the Potter Committee has resolved to go into the subject of "cipher despatches." I am glad of this. Those despatches have done and are now in condition to do great mischief to the Democratic party. The more they are investigated the less harmful they will probably be. Our friends will do well to make the inquiry thorough, and to sit at all times with open doors.

In Kansas, Illinois and Wisconsin the Senatorial contests are getting warmer as the days of election approach. In New York, Pennsylvania and Indiana it is conceded that Conkling, Cameron and Voorhees, present Senators, will be elected. There is far from the same certainty as to Ingalls, Oglesby and Howe. Against Ingalls serious charges are made, and opposed to Howe and Oglesby are stronger men in the persons of Carpenter and Logan.

Since Dec. 1st four members of the House have died—Messrs. Williams, of Michigan, Douglass, of Virginia, Hartridge, of Georgia, and Schleicher, of Texas. The funeral services of the last named will be held in the Hall of the House to-day. Mr. S. was an extremely popular man, and actually controlled legislation on the subject of the army at the past session of this Congress. He succeeded in securing followers enough among Democrats to prevent a reduction which would otherwise certainly have been made in the strength of the army. On all other subjects he voted with the Democratic party.

I have before mentioned the fact that an effort will be made at this session of Congress, to secure a small subsidy for two lines of steamships to South America—one from New Orleans and one from New York.

It being understood that Justice Hunt, will retire from the bench of the U. S. Supreme Court, even if he recovers from his present sickness, there is much speculation as to his successor. It will of course be the wish of Mr, Hayes to give the office to some one who in some way assisted in miscounting the votes for President. Attorney General Devens would like the place, too.

Apparently basing his theory upon the well known fact that yellow fever disappears with the coming of the first severe frost, Prof. Gangee submits a proposition to prevent the introduction or spread of that dreadful disease by submitting to the action of frosty air the infected vessels coming into port and the dwellings in districts which are infected. He claims that he can in fifteen minutes reduce the air in any dwelling or vessel to zero, and that every germ of the disease is destroyed at that temperature.

If Gen. Sherman had at any time a hope of securing the passage of Burnside's army reorganization bill he has probably given it up before this time. Unfavorable comments on it are received here from all sections of the country, from the army, from private citizens, and from the press.

SWINDLE.

Are the three infant daughters of the Hon Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Agar-Ellis, who will be respectively in January next 13, 12, and 10 years of age, to be educated as Protestants or as Roman Catholics? Such was in substance the specific question which the English Court of Appeal has just been called upon to decide, but the decision thereon is noteworthy as likely to be a controlling one in future cases of mixed marriages. Mr Agar-Ellis, who is a member of the Church of England, before he married his present wife, the daughter of Lord Camoys and a Roman Catholic, promised her that any children born of the marriage should be brought up in the lady's religious faith. But as soon as the first child was born he retracted this promise, and has ever since then been firm in his determination to bring up his children in the Church of England. Mrs. Agar-Ellis, however, disregarded her husband's positive commands and indoctrinated the little girls with all the tenets peculiar to the Roman Catholic Church, such as the adoration of the Virgin, the invocation of patron saints, and the practice of confession It was conceded by counsel that the antenuptial promise was in point of law absolutely void. As between the husband and wife, therefore, said Lord Justice James, who delivered the judgment of the Court, the question was to be determined as if there had never been any such promise, and just as if she or her husband had embraced a new faith after the marriage. In the unanimous opinion of Lords Justices James, Baggally, and Thesiger, who heard the appeal, it is the husband's undoubted right to remove his children from the influence of a mother who is avowedly using that influence to thwart his wishes. The main argument before the Court was not, however, on any conflict of rights between husband and wife being conceded that by the law of England the father is undoubtedly charged with the education of his children; but the conflict of rights as between the father and the children themselves was the great issue. In other words, is the right of the father to control the education of his children a reasonable discretion or an absolute one?

It was held by the Court that unless the father had forfeited such parental right by moral misconduct or the profession of irreligious opinion, his legal right could not be interfered with. "If a good and honest father, taking into his consideration," reads the opinion," the past teaching to which his children have, in fact, been subject, and the effect of that teaching on their minds, and the risk of unsettling their convictions, comes to the conclusion that it is right and for their welfare, temporal and spiritual, that he should take means to counteract that teaching and undo its effect, he is by law the proper and sole judge of that. * * He is quite as likely to judge rightly as we are to judge for him. At all events, the law has made him, and not us, the judge, and we cannot interfere with him in his honest exercise of the jurisdiction which the law has confided to him." The appeal of Mrs. Agar-Ellis was therefore unsuccessful, and during the remaining years of the children's minorities the whole responsibility of their religious education is thrown upon their father. The moral sought by some to be deduced from the case is that these mixed marriages ought to be discouraged by Protestant and Roman Catholic parents alike.

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Photographing a Trotting Horse.

Apparatus costing $2,000 has been successfully used in San Francisco to photograph a horse while trotting. A row of cameras was uncovered and covered by electricity, thus photographing the famous horse at successive points of his strides while going at a 2:25 gait. These pictures show that his feet were all off the ground together twice during the stride, notwithstanding the general belief of turfmen, that a trotting horse always has one foot down while in action.

Marriages.

KARNS—STYER.—In West Hemlock on the 2d inst., by Rev. N. Spear, Mr. L. S. Karns of Madison to Miss Mary P. Styer of West Hemlock,

BUCKALEW—MEARS.—At the residence of Col. C. K. Hughes, of the Town of Bloomsburg, on the 5th inst., by E. E. Orvis, Mr. Amos Buckalew of Bloomsburg, to Mrs. Maggie C. Mears of Hazleton.

THOMAS—COFFMAN.—On the 31st ult. at the Reformed Church at 6½ o'clock p. m. by Rev. E. Krebs, Mr. Geo. O. Thomas to Miss Maggie Coffman, both of Bloomsburg.

HOOVER—PARKER.—At Orangeville Jan. 1st, 1878, by the Rev C. K. Canfield, Mr. Thomas A. Hoover of Benton to Miss Margaret M. Parker of Rohrsburg, Pa.

ACHENBACH—SEYBERT.—At the home of the bride on the 2d inst., by Rev. H. S. Mendenhall, Mr. Wm. M. Achenbach to Miss H. Alice Seybert, both of Orange.

HESS—ZANER.—At the Methodist parsonage in Orangeville on the 4th inst., by the same, Mr. Wm. S. Hess of Centre to Miss M. Vernie Zaner of Fishingcreek.

HUMMEL—SWARTHOUT.—At the Orangeville hotel on Jan. 7th, by Rev. A. Houtz, Mr. J. A. Hummel of Greenwood to Miss Hannah Swarthout of Fishingcreek.

Deaths.

ASH.—In Fishingcreek township on the 5th inst., Christian Ash, aged 80 years, 9 months and 21 days.

MOORE.—In West Hemlock on the 8th inst., Mrs. Joanna Moore, aged 75 years 3 months and 28 days.

HUTTON.—In Mt. Pleasant township on the 20th ult., Mrs. Loah M. Hutton, wife of Jesse Hutton, aged 49 years, 5 months and 28 days.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of the county of Columbia, the undersigned Administrators of the estate of David Shaff, sr., late of the township of Briarcreek in said county of Columbia will expose to public sale on the premises on

Saturday February 1st, 1879,

at ten o'clock a. m., the following described real estate.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Briarcreek aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post at purpart No. 7, as described in the return of inquest in said estate, and running thence along land of Samuel Knorr, south ten degrees east, one hundred and eighteen perches to a stone; thence by the same north seventy-one and a half degrees east fourteen perches to a stone, thence by land of Mary Shiner south eighty-one and three-fourth degrees west forty-five and six-tenths perches to a stone, thence by the same north seven and seven-eighths degrees east thirty-four and one tenth perches to a stone, the same by Purpart No. 3 in said inquest more fully described north eighty-one and five-eighths degrees east twenty-five perches to a stone, thence by the same south thirteen degrees east one hundred and nine and four tenths perches to a stone, thence north seventy-five degrees east twenty-seven and two-tenths perches to a stone, thence south seven and a half degrees east forty-two and two-tenths perches to a stone, thence south fifty-three degrees west fourteen and seven-tenths perches to a stone, thence by land of William Hippensteel south sixty-four and three-eighths degrees east seventeen perches to a stone thence by the same north sixty-one degrees east ten perches to a stone, thence south twenty-one degrees east six perches to a stone (late white oak) thence by the same south thirty-eight and six-eighths degrees east twenty-three and eight tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing

136 ACRES

and sixty perches neat measure.

ALSO, all that certain piece or parcel of LAND situate in the township of Briarcreek aforesaid, beginning at a chestnut oak and running thence along line of land of Pealer and Doty, south eighty-two and a half degrees west eighty-nine and eight-tenths perches to a stone, thence by Purpart No. 8 in said inquest more fully described south twenty-one degrees, east eighty-six and eight tenths perches to a stone, thence by land of John Kisner, Purpart No. 9, J. B. Frese, Jesse Hicks and heirs of John Yost north eighty-two and a half degrees east eighty-six and three-tenths perches to a white oak down, thence by land of Henry Sneffer north eighteen and three-fourths degrees west eighty-six perches to the place of beginning, containing

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430 ACRES

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ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM KISTNER, DECEASED.

Letters of administration on the estate of Wm. Kistner, late of Madison township Columbia County, Pa., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned Administratrix to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the said estate will make them known to the said administratrix without delay.

MARY C. KISTNER,
Jerseytown,
Administratrix.

Jan 17, 79-6w

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

In the matter of J. A. Losse, Bankrupt.
WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of J. A. Losse, of Glen City, in the County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on Creditors petition by the District Court of said District.

Dated, Danville January 8th, 1879.

H. M. HINCKLEY,
Assignee.

Jan. 17, 79-3w

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

ESTATE OF SAMUEL D. WHITE, DECEASED

Letters of Administration on the estate of Samuel D. White, late of Fishingcreek twp. (Col., co., dec'd, have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned Administrator, to whom all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands against the estate will make them known to the administrator without delay.

H. J. CONNER,
Administrator,
Orangeville, Pa.

Jan. 17, 78-6w.

A FREE GIFT!

Of a copy of my Medical Common Sense Book to an person suffering with CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, CATARRH, BRONCHITIS, Loss of Voice or SORE THROAT. Send name and post office address with two 3 cent postage stamps and state your sickness. The book is a splendidly illustrated 164 pp. 12 mo 1878. The information contains in the providence of God has saved many lives. The author has been treating diseases of the Nose, Throat and Lungs as a specialty in Cincinnati since 1847. Address Dr. N. B. WOLFE, CINCINNATI, OHIO.

Jan. 17, 79-1m jw&o

LICENSE NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have filed with the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of Columbia county, their petitions for license which will be presented to the Court on Wednesday, the Fifth day of February next:

W. R. Tubbs, H. P. Chamberlin,	Tavern,	Bloomsburg.
Frederick M. Gilmore,	Eating House,	Bloomsburg.
William Wills,	Tavern,	Berwick
Frank Kessler,	"	Centre
J. R. Grant,	Liquor Store,	Catawissa.
S. H. Hagenbuch,	Tavern	Orange.

WM. KRICKBAUM,
Clerk O. S.

Jan. 14, 79-4c

RETURN NOTICE.

The act of April 21, 1858 requires Assessors Supervisors and Collectors of Road, Poor and School taxes to make returns to the County Commissioners for the collection of all taxes on seated and unseated lands. As all returns must be made on or before the first day of February next and as collectors often fail to make return in the proper time and afterwards claim exonerations for what they have neglected to return, whereby the County or township loses the tax so exonerated that should have been returned for collection. We have fixed upon the following days to receive the returns above named and at the same time collectors of county taxes shall come in and make final exonerations on their duplicates. For all Districts south of the river on Tuesday, January 28, 1879; those east of Big Fishingcreek on Wednesday January 29; and those west of Big Fishingcreek on Thursday, January 30.

We want all collectors to comply with this notice it may be claimed to be soon to make the exonerations, but by allowing collectors one, two or three years before making exonerations much tax is lost by the carelessness or dishonesty of the collector, and then finally a large amount of exonerations is claimed on real Estate which collectors should have returned or collected.

The sooner duplicates are settled the better for both taxpayer and collectors; otherwise collectors become careless and often collect money and apply it to other purposes, and the finally when the money is to be paid it is not forthcoming, and thereby those who pay willingly pay always and many never, and then the willing ones must make up for the neglect of the collectors. By order of

STEPHEN POHE,
CHAS. REICHART,
A. B. HERRING,
} County Comr's.

Attest: JOHN B. CASEY, Clerk.
Commissioners' Office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Jan. 2, 79

ORPHANS' COURT SALE OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned Administrator, &c., of Samuel D. White, late of said county, will expose to public sale on the premises in Centre township, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on

Friday, January 31st, 1879,

the following valuable REAL ESTATE to-wit:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of Centre, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone near the house formerly owned by John P. Strohmeyer, thence by lot of Mary Sponenberger deceased north eighty-six degrees east thirty-two and five-tenths perches to a stone, thence by land of Samuel Kelchner and Samuel Bower, north thirteen degrees west twenty-eight and five-tenths perches; thence by Allen Shellhammer south eighty-two and a half degrees west forty-two perches and two-tenths to a stone, north eighty-eight and a half degrees west twenty-two and nine-tenths perches to a stone, thence by land of Michael D. Remley south eleven and three quarter degrees, east twenty-seven and three-tenths perches to a stone, thence south seventy nine degrees, east eighteen perches to a stone, thence south seventy-two and a half degrees east eleven and two-tenths perches to a stone in a public road and thence south twelve and eight-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing

FIFTEEN ACRES & 149 PERCHES.

ALSO, all that certain messuage, tenement or tract of LAND situate in the township of Centre aforesaid, beginning at a stone, thence by lands of a lot Neyhard south eighty-seven and a half degrees west thirty-six and eight tenths perches to a stone, north by land of Joseph Conner eighty-four and a quarter degrees east fourteen and seven-tenths perches to a stone, thence north by land of Samuel Kelchner twelve and a half degrees west twenty-five and nine-tenths perches to a stone, thence south by land of Samuel Spoesberger eighty-three degrees west thirty-six and eight-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing SIX ACRES strict measure with the appurtenances.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent of one-fourth of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year thereafter with interest from confirmation nisi.

C. W. MILLER, Atty. H. J. CONNER, Administrator.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale or out-cry, at the Court House in Bloomsburg, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3d, 1879,

All that certain tract or piece of land situate in Beaver township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Bounded on the north by lands of D. Gearhart and C. Shuman, on the south by lands of C. Shuman and John Hunsinger, on the east by D. Raimer, and on the west by other lands of said J. H. Shuman, containing 18 acres of ground, on which are erected a Frame Hotel, stable, ice house and out buildings.

ALSO,

All that certain piece or parcel of ground situate in Beaver township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows to-wit: Bounded on the north by Henry Miller, on the south by land of John Hunsinger, on the east by other lands of said Joseph Shuman, and on the west by F. L. Shuman, containing ten acres more or less.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Caroline Wann against Joseph H. Shuman and the Executors of Jacob Shuman, deceased, and the administrators of Michael Grover, deceased, and to be sold as the property of J. H. Shuman.

LITTLE, Attorneys. Fieri Facias.

ALSO,

All that certain lot of ground situate Centre township, Columbia county, Pa. described as follows to-wit: bounded on the north by land of James Kocher, on the east by land of George Hess, on the south by land of George Hess and Chas. Hippenstiel, on the west by land of Stephen McEwen and James Kocher, containing 18 acres more or less, on which are erected a frame house, barn and out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Samuel J. Conner, surviving executor of G. H. Fowler, deceased, against Peter G. Bachman, and to be sold as the property of Peter G. Bachman

JACKSON & SON, Attorneys. Vend. Ex.

Terms cash on the day of sale.

JOHN W. HOFFMAN,
Sheriff.

Jan. 3, 79-4t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale or out-cry, at the Court House in Bloomsburg at one o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3d, 1879,

All that town lot situate on Third street in the Town of Bloomsburg, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by Pine Alley, on the east by lot of William Swentzel, on the south by Third street and on the west by Barton Alley, the said lot being fifty feet front more or less on Third street and extending in depth to Pine Alley two hundred feet more or less, whereon are erected a double two story frame dwelling house and out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of The Mutual Building and Saving Fund Association of Bloomsburg against Adam Case, and to be sold as the property of Adam Case.

ROBISON, Attorney. Vend Ex.

ALSO,

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in the Town of Bloomsburg county of Columbia, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit; beginning at a corner of land of O. A. Jacoby, thence by the same and lot of Jacob Waich south sixty-two and a quarter degrees west thirty-two and four-tenth perches to land of David J. Waller, thence by the same south twenty-eight and a quarter degrees, west one hundred and nine and five tenths perches to the Susquehanna River, thence up the same north sixty-five and a quarter degrees east thirty-three and eight tenths perches, thence by lands of Jos. W. Hendershott and others north twenty-nine and one-half degrees west one hundred and twelve and one-tenth perches to the place of beginning, containing twenty-two acres and forty-six perches of land more or less, on which are erected a large brick dwelling house, frame barn, wagon house wood shed and other out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Isaac Ikeler's use against Jacob Deifenbach and to be sold as the property of Jacob Deifenbach.

IKELER, Attorney.

ALSO,

All that certain tenement or tract of land lying and being in Locust township, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a white oak, corner of land of Peter Miller, sr., running thence by the same north seventy-seven and one-half degrees west forty-one and eight-tenth perches to a Spanish oak, thence by the same in the public road north seventy-five and three-quarter degrees west thirty-two and seven-tenths perches to a stone in said public road, thence by land of the aforesaid Peter Miller, sr., north ten and one quarter degrees, west thirty-four perches to a stone, thence by land of Peter Miller, sr., south eighty-three degrees, east thirty-three and eight-tenth perches to a stone, thence at a stone in the same course one perch apart) the aforesaid perch is intended for a lane for the benefit of the said Peter Miller, his heirs and assigns forever; thence from the said stone and land of Peter Miller, sr., north twelve degrees, west forty-nine and three-tenth perches to a stone, thence by land of James A. Fox south eighty-two degrees, east twenty perches to a stone, thence by land of Jonathan Bachman north seventy-six degrees east sixty-five and five-tenth perches to a stone, corner of land of Jacob Osewalt, thence by the same south twenty-six and one-half degrees east thirty-seven perches to a stone, the middle of a public road, thence by land of John P. Kachereas one-half degree east nineteen perches to a white oak thence by the same south 78 degrees, west seventy-two and five-tenth perches to a stone, thence by other land of John Hughes south fifty-eight perches to a stone, thence by land of Reuben Fahringer and land of Peter Miller, sr., south seventy-two degrees, west forty-seven perches to a stone, thence by land of Peter Miller, sr., north two degrees, west twenty-five and five-tenth perches to a stone, thence by land of the same north thirty-three degrees east one hundred and twenty-six perches to the place of beginning, containing seventy-eight acres and nineteen perches be the same more or less, on which are erected a frame house, barn and out-buildings, excepting five and one-fourth acres of ground sold to Charles Miller, described as follows to-wit: Bounded on the north by land of Peter Miller, on the east and south by public road and on the west by land of Charles Miller, containing five and one-fourth acres of ground.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Patrick Herbert to the use of A. K. Walter now to the use of Peter E. Buck against John R. Jones with notice to terre tenant, and to be sold as the property of John R. Jones with notice to terre tenant.

MANN, Attorney. Levari Facias.

ALSO,

All those certain two pieces of land situate in the township of Briarcreek, bounded and described as follows: The one piece is bounded on the west by land of George Bower, on the north by land of the late John Doak, on the east by land of (late) Charles Mastellar and south by land of Michael Bower, containing ten acres more or less

The other piece is bounded by commencing at a stone corner in line of land of the late John Doak, thence north seventy-four degrees, west twelve and eight-tenth perches to a stone, thence by land of said John Price above described south three-fourths degrees, east fifty-nine and five tenths perches to a stone, thence by land of — — Bower, south seventy-eight and a fourth degrees, west four and nine-tenth perches to a stone, thence by land of the said Bower north eight and one-fourth degrees, west fifty-seven and four-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing three acres and twenty-six perches, strict measure.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Joseph Jackson against John Price and to be sold as the property of John Price.

JACKSON & SON, Attorneys. Al. Levari Facias

ALSO,

All that certain piece or parcel of ground situate in Jackson township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows to-wit: Bounded on the north by lands of Shultz and John L. Hess, on the east and south by Asa Yorks, on the west by William Yorks containing one hundred acres more or less, on which are erected a frame house and barn.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Jacob Schuyler against James F. and N. D. Kile and to be sold as the property of N. D. Kile.

KNORR, Attorney. Vend. Ex.

ALSO,

A lot of ground situate in the borough of Centralia, Columbia county, Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows: On the south by Centre street, on the west by lot of John Arter, on the north by an alley on the east by lot of Augustus Gable, containing fifty feet front on said Centre street and one hundred and forty feet in depth, whereon are erected a two-story frame dwelling houses and out-buildings

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of C. G. Murphy against I.P. Hoagland, and to be sold as the property of I.P. Hoagland.

BARKLEY, Attorney. Al. Fi. Fa.

ALSO,

All the interest of Samuel W. Baker in that certain lot of ground situate in Centre township described as follows: Bounded on the west by lane and land of Jesse Heffman on the north by land of Levi Miller, on the east by land of Levi Miller, and on the south by public road leading from Espy to Berwick, containing five acres more or less, on which are erected a frame dwelling house and frame stable, together with out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of George Ruckel against S. W. Baker and to be sold as the property of S. W. Baker.

HOWELL, Attorney. Vend. Ex.

ALSO,

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, and described as follows to-wit: Bounded on the north by Henry Shutt, on the west by Poplar street, on the east by an alley and the south by Joseph Hendershott, containing fifty feet front on Poplar street and two hundred feet in depth more or less on which are erected a frame dwelling house barn and out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of The Mutual Building and Saving Fund Association of Bloomsburg against Samuel B. Anderson and to be sold as the property of Samuel B. Anderson.

ROBISON, Attorney. Fi. Fa.

ALSO,

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Scott township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit; bounded on the north by land of Benjamin Richart, on the east by land of John Lee, on the south by land of Abraham Snyder, Hiram Tronso and John Shuman and on the west by land of Harvey Creveling, containing one hundred and forty-nine acres more or less, on which are erected a dwelling house, bank barn and out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Henry J. McEwen against Moore Creveling and Benjamin Richart and to be sold as the property of Moore Creveling.

HOWELL, Attorney. Fi. Fi. Fa

ALSO,

All that certain lot or parcel of ground situate in Slabtown, Locust twp, Col. county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit; bounded on the north by land of Isaiah Yeager, on the east by land of David Yeager, on the south and west by public road, containing one acre more or less, on which are erected a frame dwelling house, store house and out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Charles Gable against Lucas Fahringer, and to be sole as the property of Lucas Fahringer.

MILLER, Attorney. Vend Ex.

ALSO,

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Town of Bloomsburg Columbia county, Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit; bounded on the north by lot of M. C. Woodward, on the east by an alley, on the south by an alley and on the west by East street, containing —— feet front and 200 feet in depth on which are erected a double dwelling house and out buildings.

Seized, taken in execution at the suit of Eli Jones now for use of Columbia County Mutual Saving Fund and Loan Association against Sarah Briggs and to be sold as the property of Sarah Briggs.

MILLER & LITTLE, Attorneys. Vend. Ex.

Terms cash on day of sale

JOHN W. HOFFMAN,
Sheriff.

Jan. 10, 79-4t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, and to me directed will be exposed to public sale at the Court House Bloomsburg, at one o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3d, 1879.

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Fishingcreek township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by land of George Cadwallader on the east by land of John White, on the west by land of R. Rutan, on the south by land of Alex Stewart, containing ninety acres, on which are erected a dwelling house, barn and outbuildings.

ALSO,

A certain house and lot of ground situate in Espy, Scott township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a corner of lot owned by John Shuman, on the north side of Main street, thence by said lot northwardly one hundred and eighty feet to an alley westwardly thirty feet to corner of lot owned by Henry Jones, thence by said lot southwardly one hundred and eighty feet to Main street aforesaid, thence by said street eastwardly thirty feet to the place of beginning, on which are erected a dwelling house, stable and outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Wm. B. Kester and Mary Jane Kester his wife in her right against Lemuel Drake with notice to erre tenants and to be sold as the property of Lemuel Drake with notice to terre tenants.

LITTLES, Attorneys, Vend Ex.

ALSO,

All that certain lot of ground situate in the town of Catawissa in the county of Columbia State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit; beginning at a post set for a corner of said lot at the intersection of the two public roads leading from the Town of Catawissa respectively to McNinch and McKelvy's mills, south eighteen and a half degrees east one hundred and forty-one feet six inches to a post thence by land of the Catawissa Seminary north fifty and a quarter degrees east one hundred and five feet to a post on the south side of the aforesaid road leading from Catawissa to McNinch's Mill, thence by the same north sixty-four degrees west one hundred and 44 feet to the place of beginning, on which are erected a three-story brick building, store room, public hall and Masonic Hall.

Seized, taken into execution as the property of Robert Gorrell with notice to Catawissa Masonic Association Garnishee, and to be sold as the property of Robert Gorrell with notice to Catawissa Masonic Association Garnishee.

ELWELL—ABBOTT & REAWN, Attorneys. Vend. Ex.

ALSO,

Two lots of ground situate in the Borough of Centralia, Columbia County Pennsylvania, being fifty feet in width and one hundred and forty feet in depth whereon are erected 2 two-story frame dwelling houses, said lots bound d and described as follows: North by Park street, east by ——— street, south by vacant lots and west by lots of M. Lawler.

ALSO,

A lot of ground situate in the Borough, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Number one (No. 1) block one hundred and eighteen (118) north by Park street, east by an alley, south by lot lately owned by William Torry, and west by Locust Avenue, whereon is erected a two-story frame dwelling house.

ALSO,

All the right, title and interest of said Robert Gorrell in the estate of Mary Gorrell deceased.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of The First National Bank of Ash

THE COLUMBIAN.

B[illegible], FRIDAY, JAN 17 1879.

CALENDAR FOR 1879.

1879	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Jan.	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24 31	4 11 18 25
Feb.	2 9 16 23	3 10 17 24	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22
Mar.	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24 31	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29
April.	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26
May.	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24 31
June.	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28
July.	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24 31	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26
Aug.	3 10 17 24 31	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30
Sept.	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27
Oct.	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24 31	4 11 18 25
Nov.	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29
Dec.	7 14 21 28	1 8 15 22 29	2 9 16 23 30	3 10 17 24 31	4 11 18 25	5 12 19 26	6 13 20 27

Rail Road Time Table.

SUSQUEHANNA & BLOOMSBURG RAIL ROAD.

	SOUTH.	SOUTH.
Accommodation Train,	6.58 A. M.	8.00 A. M.
Mail Train	7.58 A. M	4.49 P. M
Express Train	1.57 P. M.	11.45 A. M

CATAWISSA RAIL ROAD.

	SOUTH	SOUTH
Accommodation Train	6.08 A. M.	7.36 P. M
Regular Express	4.06 P. M.	11.45 A. M

Through cars on Express train either to New York or Philadelphia. Accommodation train runs between Catawissa and Williamsport.

STAGE LINES.

CAMBRA AND BLOOMSBURG.—Leave Cambra Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6:30 a m., arrive in Bloomsburg by 1:30 a. m. Leave Bloomsburg on same days after arrival of Philadelphia mail.

BLOOMSBURG AND AIRDVILLE.—Leave Lutzday by Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7:30 a. m., arriving at Bloomsburg by 12 m. Leave Bloomsburg on same days after arrival of Philadelphia mail. The stage line terminates at Millville.

BENTON and Bloomsburg.—A daily stage line leaving Benton in the morning and returning in the evening of the same day.

MAIL ROUTES.

WHITE HALL AND BLOOMSBURG. Leave White Hall Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 6:30 a. m., arriving at Bloomsburg by 10 a m. Leave Bloomsburg on same days after arrival of Philadelphia mail.

BENTON AND BLOOMSBURG.—Leaves Benton Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 a. m. arriving at Bloomsburg at 2 p. m. Leaves Bloomsburg Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 a. m., arriving at Benton at 2 p m.

PUBLIC SALES.

The administrators of Isaiah Yeager deceased, will sell real estate in Locust and Roaringcreek townships, at Yeager's Hotel, Slabtown, on Saturday January 11th, 1879, at 10 o'clock a. m.

David Helwig, Executor of Peter Helwig will sell real estate in Catawissa on Tuesday, February 4th.

H. J. Conner, Administrator of Samuel D White will offer real estate for sale in Centre township on Friday the 31st day of January, at 10 o'clock a m.

Levi Shaffer and Levi Fester Administrator of David Shaffer, Sr., late of Briarcreek township, will expose real estate to sale on Saturday, February 1st 1879 at 10 o'clock a m.

A. L. Fritz is acting as clerk to the sheriff.

CHEW JACKSON'S BEST Sweet Navy Tobacco.

Henry H Hirleman has been appointed Post master at Waller P. O. in this county.

Mr. and Mrs F. P. Billmyer returned from their wedding trip on the 9th.

About eight inches of snow fell on Thursday last week.

Frozen pumps and leaky roofs now occupy the attention of housekeepers.

LOST.—In Bloomsburg, a breast pin marked Dunning, on the back. The finder will be suitable rewarded on leaving it at Rev. S. Mitchell

A subscription has been taken up by some of our sportsmen for the purchase of wild rice to be sown in the river for the protection of fish from seines.

Our representatives, Hons. T. J Vanderslice and J. B. Knittle came home last week, the Legislature having adjourned until yesterday (Thursday.)

Willie Rishton was awarded the silver cup at the skating rink last Tuesday night, having received the highest number of votes for the most graceful male skater on the floor.

We return thanks to numerous subscribers who have paid up within the past two weeks. There are still many others whom we shall be glad to see.

DIED.—On Wednesday morning January 15, 1879, Mrs. Frances Freeze, wife of James Freeze in the 77th year of her age.

Burial from St. Paul's church at half past ten on Friday morning

Township election notices can be obtained at the COLUMBIAN office for 3 cents apiece. Will be sent by mail on receipt of price for number wanted, and 3 cents additional to pay postage.

By ordering sale bills at this office you get a job at low rates, and in addition a gratuitious local notice in the paper of the time and place of sale, thus giving the advertisement wider publicity than any other office in the county can give it, by reason of our larger circulation.

James Reilly, the Exchange Hotel barber, ended his bachelor life on Monday the 6th inst., by taking to himself in wedlock Miss Ella Stohner, daughter of Benhard Stohner They were married in the Catholic church at Danville. Success to them!

Sheriff Hoffman, Dr. T. J. Swisher, G. A. Clark, and Capt. Brockway have been in attendance at court at Mauch Chunk during the present week, having been subpoenaed as witnesses in the suit of Klotz against Lynn, editor of the Mauch Chunk *Democrat*, for libel.

At this time of the year when all are forming good resolutions parents should not forget to add this one. We will for the coming year buy all our children fine shoes with the A. S. T. Co. black tip upon them and see if it is true that by doing so we can reduce our shoe bills more than one half.

John Hehl, who has been sick for some time past, died at his home on Fourth street, on Friday night. Mr Hehl was in the employ of D. Lowenberg and was an excellent workman. He was a quiet, unobtrusive gentleman, and a good citizen. The funeral took place last Tuesday.

CAUTION.—School Directors should be careful about signing orders for school merchandise and supplies except at regular or special meetings of the board. Business of this kind, transacted by individual members of the board when the board is not in session, is illegal and is apt to lead to trouble. A word to the wise should be sufficient.

WANTED.—20,000 R. R. Ties delivered on bank of canal between Danville and Espytown, will pay highest cash price for them when taken up each month. Address Buffalo X Roads, Union county, Pa. I will be in Rohrsburg, January 24th, to meet parties. Can commence delivering at once.

J. M. STAHLER.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The regular monthly meeting was held at the council chamber January 8th, 1879, Present G. A. Herring, President, and Messrs. Holmes, Sharpless, Elwell, Evans and Rabb members. Upon motion it was ordered that the agreement between the town of Bloomsburg and the owners of land along the river bank respecting the hauling and depositing of cinder along said bank, be placed on the minutes. (This agreement between D. J. Waller, Douglas Hughes, Daniel Brefogle and Thomas Knorr, proposing to haul and deposit cinder along their properties bordering on the river for twenty-five cents a load along property of D J. Waller; thirty cents along the Douglas Hughes property; thirty-two and a half cents along the Brefogle property; and thirty five cents along the Thomas Knorr property.) It was ordered that the rate fixed for two-horse teams used in hauling cinder be twenty-five cents per hour. The following bills were approved and the Secretary authorized to draw orders to pay the same:

G M. & J. K Lockard, lumber,	$ 2.88
Wm Rupert, cleaning gutters, etc.,	5.00
Wm Gilmore, rent one year,	30 00
Bloomsburg Gas Co, for Dec.,	46.08
J. Sharpless & Son, lamp post,	9.00
Samuel Neyhard, surveying,	2 50
Rollins & Holmes, gas pipe and plumbing	2.61
James Thomas constable, etc.	9.75
R. W. Smith, interest on bond,	4.34
Brockway & Elwell, order book,	10.00
James C Sterner, police duty,	1 00
Fornwald & Millard, smithing,	.93
John Howel, smithing,	4.90
E Mendenhal, number,	10 52
Thos Christman, cinder at river,	8.00
Samuel Thomas, smithing,	3 90
Samuel Shaffer, street commissioner return	110 27
Paul E. Wirt, Secretary,	15 00

Upon motion the action of the President and Secretary in drawing orders for $87 25 in favor of David Stroup and $5 58 in favor of C. R Paxton for interest due was approved. Upon motion adjourned

Postmaster Beckley's little organ at Bloomsburg makes the awkward complaint that the Republican leaders of Pennsylvania do not foster the party in the minority counties—meaning Columbia. It is a just complaint with a large foundation. For years and years Mr Beckly and his newspaper partner, Mr. Brown, have attended the party conventions and helped to put the party through in good shape, and all they have ever got for their trouble is the Bloomsburg Post Office, which is only an insignificant affair, worth but sixteen hundred dollars. No man can be expected to keep his patriotism up to the high water mark on such slight encouragement as this. To be sure, Mr. Brown gets a great many nominations for various things; he sometimes runs for Congress, sometimes for County Surveyor, sometimes for something else, but he never gets elected to anything, and the whole consolation of the party in this minority county is that the Postmaster's partner is permitted to serve his country as chairman of the county committee, since the Postmaster had to give up the place at the invitation of the President. It is surely about time the party in minority counties was heard from, and it is gratifying to have the complaint come from those who are actually in need of some little office.—*Times.*

The skating rink in Evans' Hall has been a source of much pleasure and amusement for several days past. It opened last week Tuesday evening, and the first performance was highly entertaining. All hands being green at the business, there were many exhibitions of agility in sitting down and getting up again. One gentleman losing confidence in his feet, tried to skate on his hands, and the result was a sprained wrist. Another one nearly cracked his ribs, while many others displayed much affection for the iron posts in the centre of the hall, which they constantly embraced. Practice has made much improvement, and now the floor is filled with good skaters. On Saturday evening there was a contest for a medal, to be awarded to the most awkward gentleman skater. A large audience was present, and a vote was taken resulting 128 votes in favor of one of our popular young men. There may have been a little stuffing of the ballot box. He bore his honors bravely. His modesty prevents us from mentioning names. On Wednesday evening Mr. Wright an expert giving an exhibition of very fine skating. Mr. Lee keeps good order and admits no one of questionable character The Rink will close next Tuesday evening with a masquerade on skates.

TO SCHOOL DIRECTORS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY.

The following extract from the Pennsylvania School Journal of December. 1878, will no doubt be of interest to the School Directors of Columbia county:

"The warrants for the payment of the State appropriation to the school districts throughout the State, have been withheld at the request of the State Treasurer, who informed the department that he has no money to pay them. Of that $1,000,000 appropriated, only $300,000 have been paid to the present time, Nov. 21st. This amount was paid to the districts that were the first to send in their reports and certificates. This delay is a source of great regret to the State Superintendent, but the remedy is beyond his power. All he can do is to promise that the warrants shall be issued at once as soon as he learns that there is money in the Treasury to pay them."

The Methodist Episcopal Conference will meet in this town on the 19th of March next. About two hundred and fifty ministers will be in attendance, and the session will continue one week. The conference is held in the larger cities and towns at regular periods, and it is customary for the citizens, without denominational distinction, to entertain the clergy present. A large number of laymen will be present, but these are expected to provide for themselves.

Bishop R S Foster, D D., LL. D of Boston, will preside over the Conference, and assisted by the five Presiding Elders, will make the appointments of the preachers for the ensuing year, giving to each preacher a charge and to each charge a pastor.

Of course our citizens will open their doors and furnish entertainment to the visiting clergy, in the most liberal manner.

TWO MORE MOLLIES HANGED.

James McDonnell and Charles Sharpe were executed in the jail at Mauch Chunk on Tuesday morning, for the murder of George K. Smith several years ago. The same scaffold was used on which Hester, Tully and McHugh were hung. Only a few moments after the drop fell, the warden's bell was rung violently, and on opening the door a telegraph messenger appeared with a reprieve from the Governor giving the condemned men until the 20 inst. But it came too late. Both men were beyond human help. Each one made a few remarks on the scaffold, stoutly denying his guilt. Sharpe had a written paper which he said he had intended to read, but would not have time. Had he read this document, which was rather lengthy, he might have delayed the execution until the arrival of the reprieve.

AN AGED COUPLE.—The Catawissa *News Item* says that there are few people in this World who have enjoyed each others society more than Michael Brobst and his wife Salona, of that place. On Wednesday, January 1st, this aged couple celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary, having been married on the 1st of January, 1814. Mr. Brobst is now in his 87th year and his wife is past 83. They have lived in Catawissa all of this time with the exception of a brief space when they lived in Berwick. Of all the people living there when Mr. and Mrs. Brobst settled in that place they are the only ones left.

RAILROAD MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the North & West Branch R. R. Company was held at its office in Bloomsburg on Monday afternoon January 13th. The board of election was constituted by electing C. B. Brockway, Judge; D. A Beckley, Secretary; Mathias Shaffer, Teller. The poll being declared open balloting was commenced and resulted in the election of the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, D J. Waller; Directors, Wm. Neal, L. E. Waller, J. Schuyler, I W. Hartman, J. C. Brown, J. B Robison, R C. Neal, B.S. Bently, D J Waller, Jr., James Masters, William Hulme and D. Lowenberg.

When your horse is lame and you have tried every remedy without success, and you despair of curing him, and begin to think of trading him off, before doing so obtain a bottle of Giles' Liniment Iodide Ammonia, and see its effects in twenty-four hours. These are the kind of cases Dr. Giles likes; where all remedies fail, his is the one that never disappoints. The doctor will willingly prove and demonstrate what he says, on application to him at his office, 451 Sixth Avenue, New York.

Sold by all druggists. Send for pamphlet, DR. GILES. 120 West Broadway, N. Y.

Trial size 25 cents.

CARE FOR YOUR HORSES.—Those having the care of horses during the present cold weather should exercise that care in a way that will be of service to the poor brutes. Care should be taken as to the bit, and the shoes be rough and well set to the feet. Then, too, upon hitching a horse in the street or elsewhere while out driving, the warm, comfortable blanket should be well spread upon the body so that no chill from any sudden cooling off should be the result. The breast pad or protector is also an invaluable medium of protection to the lungs of the horse and we are glad to see them coming into such general use. No horse can be so worthless as to warrant a lack of care in the above mentioned respects.

Notice has been served on William Krickbaum, Prothonotary, to appear before the Attorney General at Harrisburg on the 17th inst., to show cause why a writ of *quo warranto* shall not issue on account of alleged fraud in the election. We know nothing of the facts in the case, but we doubt very much whether any ground can be shown for sustaining this proceeding. If Mr. Krickbaum or any other officer is guilty of fraud in the election, the law should be strictly enforced.

A bright and beautiful child shows in its very expression that its Babyhood was not associated with Opium, coddaia, etc,—for the continued use of Opium is antagonistic to health. That valuable and highly recommended remedy to the disorders of Babyhood, Dr Bull's Syrup is free from Morphia and all other dangerous agents, and can be safely employed at all times. Price 25 cents.

DIED IN A SLEIGH.—David W. Frymire, in company with A. O. Sparr, both citizens of Danville, started with a horse and sleigh to drive to Pottsville. When near Bear Gap, Northumberland county, Frymire was taken suddenly ill and died almost immediately. The verdict of the Coroner's jury was death from apoplexy. Frymire was in excellent health up to the time of his death. He was thirty-six years of age, and leaves a wife and three children.

Life and health are God's gifts, and it is a sin to impair them by neglect. You can promptly relieve the disorders arising from a cold and tending to consumption, by the regular use of Dr. *Haas'* Expectorant.

The *Luzerne Union*, Wilkesbarre, has been purchased by the *Leader* company, the bargain having been closed last week. It was owned by Mr Payne Pettibone and Mrs. J Frank Lee, heirs of the late Wm. Sweetland. The new owners took possession at once The policy to be pursued under this accession is not yet decided on, but in all probability the *Leader* and *Union* will be merged into one paper.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup has been before the public for years, and is pronounced by thousands superior to all other articles for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Influenza and all Pulmonary Complaints.

Mrs. Anderson, an English woman, has just finished the task of walking 2700 quarter miles in the same number of quarter hours; making each quarter mile at the beginning of each quarter hour. It was a great strain on her endurance, but she is reported as being in good condition.

NEVER RETURN.—It is said that one out of every four real invalids who go to Denver, Col., to recover health, never return to the East or South except as a corpse. The undertakers next to the hotel keepers, have the most profitable business. This excessive mortality may be prevented and patients saved and cured under the care of friends and loved ones at home, if they will but use Hop Bitters in time This we know. See other column.

LEISURE HOURS.

J. L. Patten & Co, 47 Barclay street New York, have commenced the publication of an illustrated Magazine called *Leisure Hours*, at the popular price $1 per year. Its forty pages, of three columns each, are full of reading matter of interest to all our readers. The illustrations are well executed, and the stories, sketches and poetry are from well-known American writers. The publishers of course naturally desire that all should see and examine this Magazine, and, that all may do so, they offer to send it on trial three months for twenty five cents, and will, in addition, send each three months' subscriber a beautiful chromo motto, entitled "Faith, Hope and Charity." This motto, size 6x17 inches, printed in fifteen oil colors, is suitable for frame, and is worthy to adorn any home.

Jan. 9-3w

THE PEOPLE WANT PROOF.

There is no medicine prescribed by physicians, or sold by Druggists, that carries such evidence of its success and superior virtue as Boschee's German Syrup for severe Coughs, Colds settled on the breast, Consumption, or any disease of the Throat and Lungs. A proof of that fact is that any person afflicted, can get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try its superior effect before buying the regular size at 75 cents. It has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and its wonderful cures are astonishing every one that use it. Three doses will relieve any case. Try it. Sold by all druggists. aug 30, '78–tf

Theological students reason that if there be counterfit money, there must be genuine; so, if there be infidels, there must also be christians. If this be true of money and religion, will not the same rule apply to "put up" medicines? Do not the cheap and worthless nostrums prove that there are genuine and meritorious "put up" medicines? The great popularity of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has resulted in the manufacture of many shoddy alterative and tonic remedies, but one after another these have disappeared, the proprietors having found that, no matter how *loud* they advertise, success depends upon merit. In South America, as well as in this country, the Discovery is the standard remedy for all scrofulous and eruptive diseases. It acts promptly on the stomach, liver and blood, toning up, regulating, and purifying the system. It speedily allays all bronchial irritation, and cures the most stubborn cough or cold in half the time required by any other remedy.

By the authority of the School Board, A. E Phillips has been employed as an additional teacher in the Third street school at a salary of twenty-five dollars a month. This action became necessary by reason of the large number of pupils in attendance

FREE GIFT TO THE SUFFERING.—A copy of "Medical Common Sense," a book of 144 pages, will be sent free to all suffering with *Consumption, Asthma, Catarrh, &c.*, &c. See advertisement in another column. Address DR. N. B. WOLFE, Cincinnati, Ohio.

VICK'S FLORAL GUIDE.—Of the many Guides and Seed and Plant Catalogues sent out by our Seedsmen and Nurserymen and that are doing so much to inform the people and beautify and enrich our country, none are so beautiful, none are so instructive as *Vick's Floral Guide*. Its paper is the choicest, its illustrations handsome and given by the hundred, while its Colored Plate is a gem. This work, although costing but five cents, is handsome enough for a Gift Book, or a place on the parlor table. Published by JAMES VICK, Rochester, N. Y.

Pushing Advertising Too Far.

"Bless my soul!" said Col. Crawford, last Sunday Morning, "This is too bad!" Here's Bull's Cough Syrup in the Bible!" The Colonel took off his specs, rubbed them carefully and looked again. "Yes! here in the 23d chapter of Isaiah, 15th verse,—Over 500,000 bottles of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, &c. Well, I thought that Bull got everywhere else except in the Bible. Now I'll give it up; it must be a good thing." Mrs C came in and explained that she had cut the clip out of a newspaper and put it in her Bible for safe keeping and it had stuck to the leaf. So the Colonel was satisfied.—*Stanton, Va. Vindicator.*

By Universal Accord,

AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS are the best of all purgatives for family use. They are the product of long, laborious, and successful chemical investigation, and their extensive use by physicians in their practice, and by all civilized nations, prove them the best and most effectual pill that medical science can devise. Being purely vegetable, no harm can arise from their use. In intrinsic value and curative power no other pills can be compared with them, and every person, knowing their virtues, will employ them when needed. They keep the system in perfect order and maintain in healthy action the whole machinery of life. Mild, searching and effectual they are specially adapted to the needs of the digestive apparatus, derangements of which they prevent and cure if timely taken. They are the best and safest physic to employ for weakened constitutions, where a mild, but effectual cathartic is required.

FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS.

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Business Notices

DOBBIN'S ELECTRIC SOAP.
Having obtained the agency of this
CELEBRATED SOAP
for Bloomsburg and vicinity, I append the opinion of some of our best people as to its merits.

"I have used Dobbin's Electric Soap made by I. L. Cragin & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., for washing about ten years, and think it superior to any other. Mrs. C G Barkley."

"We have used Dobbin's Electric Soap and find it superior to any other or *all others.*
Mrs. W. H. Jacoby,
Mrs. B H Stohner,

I desire all my friends and customers to *Give this Soap one Trial,*

so that they may know just how good the Best Soap in the United States is.
J. H. MAIZE,
july 12, '78–1y Bloomsburg, Pa.

We are authorized to announce the name of John Penman as candidate for constable at the February election

Overcoats, Overcoats,
For Men, Boys and Children
at D. Lowenberg's.

FOR RENT.—A first class residence, on terms to suit the times. Apply to M. Wynkoop. Jan. 17 4-w*

Boot headquarters at McKinney's.

Try it—Buy it
Palm—Palm—Palm Soap
At Jacob H. Maize's—at Jacob H. Maize's. may 3–18w

Lutz & Sloan sell Dr Wagner's health corsets for $1 15

McKinneys Shoe Store below Court House.

The cheapest and best ready-made Clothing always on hand at Lowenberg's.

Crampton Brother's Palm soap at Jacob H Maize's. It is the best. Try it. may 3–18w

Admission free at McKinney's.

A large lot of remnants of dress goods cheap at Lutz & Sloan's.

Crampton's Palm Soap is the best laundry soap in this or any other market. For sale by Jacob H. Maize. may 18–3w

Call at McKinney's for Shoes.

Winter Clothing cheaper than ever at D. Lowenberg's.

Rubbers at McKinney's.

The price of all dress goods reduced at Lutz & Sloan's

The latest style of hats always on hand at D Lowenberg's.

A fine selection of Ladies' Gold Watches and Chains, both American and imported by the best makers at L Bernhard's Jewelry Store.

Boots and Shoes cheap at McKinney's.

A few winter shawls yet at Lutz & Sloan's to be sold cheap.

Cash paid for Raw Skins, Fox, Skunk Mink, Musk Rat, &c., at David Lowenberg's

CARPETS { Largest Stock in New York City
at one-half FORMER PRICES.
GOOD BRUSSELS CARPETS, 75c per yard. INGRAINS, from 50c. M QUETTES, WILTONS, AXMINSTER, VELVETS BODY-BRUSSELS, and THREE PLY CARPETS at equally low prices. OILCLOTHS all widths from 33c. per yard.
LACE CURTAINS, $1 00 per pair, to the finest REAL LACE imported, at
SHEPPARD KNAPP'S
189 and 191 Sixth Avenue,
Corner 13th street, NEW YORK.
nov 27 7–6m s&co

PIMPLES.
I will mail (Free) the receipt for a simple VEGETABLE REMEDY that will remove Tan, Freckles, PIMPLES and Blotches leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, inclosing 25 cts in stamps, Box 5926 Madison Sq. P. O. N. Y. s&co nov 22, 78–6m

TO CONSUMPTIVES.
The advertiser having been permanently cured of that dread disease Consumption, by a simple remedy is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge) with directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis &c.
Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address REV. A. WILSON, 194 Penn st., Williamsburg, N. Y. s&co nov. 22, 78–6m

ERRORS OF YOUTH.
A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,
JOHN B. OGDEN, 42 Cedar st., New York.
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PILES! Dr. Faber's Celebrated Painless Remedy is the best ever known for PILES of every kind (Bleeding, Itching, Blind, Inward, &c.) and all diseases of the rectum, whether recent or long standing. It gives instant relief and effects a radical and permanent Cure. It is prescribed by all physicians who are acquainted with it. Chronic cases readily held to it. No surgical operation required. Pain and redtape your suffering. CAN be certified by a large package sent by mail on receipt of price. For sale by all Druggists. DR. J. FABER & CO., 42 and 44...N. Y.
nov. 22, 78–6m s&co

MARKET REPORTS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKET.

Wheat per bushel	$1.00
Rye "	.55
Corn, new, "	.40
Oats, "	.35
Flour per barrel	6.00
Cloverseed	
Flaxseed	1.65
Butter	20
Eggs	20
Tallow	.05
Potatoes	40
Dried apples	04
Hams	12½
Sides & Shoulders	09
Lard per pound	.08
Hay per ton	8.00
Beeswax	25
Timothy Seed	2 00

QUOTATIONS FOR COAL.

At the Wharf	$ 3.00 per Ton
No. 8 "	2.75 "
No. 4 "	2.50 "
Lackawanna Lytton on Wharf	4 50 "
Broadtop "	4 50 "

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fi. Levari Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale upon the premises at the Red Tavern, village of Montana, Conyngham township in said county at ten o'clock in the forenoon on

Monday, January 27, 1879,

All that certain tract of land with the appurtenances situate in the aforesaid township of Conyngham bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the centre of the face of the north abutment of the bridge of the New York and Middle Coal Field Coal & Railroad Company (said line of railroad crosses the public road leading from Centralia to Catawissa at that place), thence north 8 degrees west 360 feet, thence north 82 degrees east 440 feet, thence north 82 degrees east 420 feet, thence south 8 degrees east 1914 feet, thence north 66¾ degrees west 544 feet to the place of beginning, containing 12 acres and 80 perches, be the same more or less, upon parts whereof the aforesaid village of Montana has been laid out, and the buildings thereof, to wit: A tavern house, sundry frame dwelling houses and outbuildings, a frame school house and other structures have been erected. In the sale of the said property certain lots of the said village, located thereon to wit: Lots purchased of Samuel Leby since the 24th day of March, 1865 and paid for in full to him by the purchasers of the same will be sold separately from the other parts of the property and were improved, singly also unless in cases where several lots are held together by the same terre tenant, and order of sale as among and between the said Lots will be according to the report of Samuel Short, Esq., Master, made to the said Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, in an action of Scire Facias upon mortgage therein brought by Michael Federolf against Samuel Leby and terre tenants, to enforce the payment of purchase money of the premises above mentioned, which said action is numbered 224 of September Term 1877 in said Court, and other of the lots of the said town which have been improved or otherwise have special value will also be sold separately and singly or two or more together where held by the same terre tenant or claimant, if such separate sales shall be necessary to secure a full price for the premises aforesaid.

A more particular description of the improved and other lots to be sold is as follows:

Block A.—8 lots fronting on Centre street 240 feet deep. Lot 1 vacant, lots 2 and 3 vacant but fenced together, lot 4 a plank dwelling house and out-buildings, Philip Heinbach terre tenant or claimant, lot 5 fenced, Jonathan Fetterman claimant, lot 6 plank dwelling house with small out buildings, Samuel Riley claimant, occupied by Samuel Lake, tenant; lot 7, plank dwelling house and out buildings, claimant Philip Heinbach, occupied by Samuel Leby; lot 8 vacant, Bernard Bressline, claimant.

Block B.—8 lots fronting on Leby street 110 feet deep. Lot 1, vacant next Second street; lots 2, 3 and 4 vacant, fenced together, Philip Heinbach claimant; lots 5 and 6 vacant, fence together, Gotlieb F. Eberly, claimant; lots 7 and 8 vacant.

Block C.—8 lots fronting on Leby street, from 100 to 118 feet in depth. Lots 1 to 6 inclusive, vacant; lots 7 and 8 also vacant, Cornelius Donohue claimant.

Block D.—(New Map) 6 lots, first 4 fronting on Centre street, 140 feet deep; lot 1, vacant, Franklin Yocum, claimant; lot 2 vacant, about one half fenced Alfred Bancroft, claimant; lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 fenced together, a barn on lots 3 and 4, house burned down, claimant, James Morrison.

Block E.—9 lots fronting on Leby street, first 7 being 11 feet deep. Lot 1, a double plank dwelling house and pig pen, David Davis's heirs claimants, Solomon Snyder and Sylph Knittle, occupants; the remaining lots in this block vacant; lot 6 claimed by Ephraim Leby.

Block F.—9 lots, the first 7 fronting on Leby street of irregular depth, from 141 to 180 feet, or less. Lot 1, double plank dwelling house and out buildings, Peter Weish and Patrick Moran claimants; lot 2 double plank dwelling house, stable and other out buildings, Patrick Garra, claimant; lot 3, plank dwelling house and oven, house vacant, claiman Henry Yaring; lot 4, double plank dwelling house and out buildings, Barney Dougherty, claimant; out-half of lot 5 and adjoining lot 4, fence and same claim ant; one half of lot 5 next to lot 6 vacant; lots 6 and 7 small frame house and garden, Mrs. Caroline Kittle claimant; the remaining lots not at road service. A. W Creamer, claimant.

Block G.—10 lots fronting on Centre street, the first being 4 feet deep, all the rest 140 feet deep. Lot 1 vacant but fenced with out buildings, Peter Weish claimant; lot 2 vacant, not fenced with lot 1, Peter McMahenman's estate, claimant; lots 3 and 4, frame dwelling house with a brick or wash house and stable, two lots fence together, Peter Weish, Weish's estate, claimant, widow and Edward Hemmach, occupants; lots 5, 6 and 7, vacant, fenced together, Peter S. Helwig's estate claimant; lots 8 and 9 vacant.

Block H.—(New Map) 4 lots fronting on Second street, 140 feet deep. Lot 1, a small plank dwelling house and back kitchen with out-buildings, Rebecca Baker, claimant; lot 2, frame dwelling house and out buildings, John Stoolzel, claimant; lot 3, vacant but fenced with lot 4; lot 4, double plank dwelling house and stable, James Dugan, claimant; a piece of ground in the rear of said lots and adjoining the railroad, vacant.

Block I.—8 lots fronting on Centre street of irregular depth, 140 feet and less. Lot 1, vacant, G. W. Stokes, claimant; lot 2, vacant; lots 3 and 4 fenced together, plank dwelling house and out-buildings, estate of Peter S. Helwig, claimant; lots 5 and 6, plank store house 20x40 feet, and plank dwelling house connected, 6x30 feet and out-buildings, Philip Kulb's heirs, claimants, William Goodman, occupant; lots 7 and 8, frame dwelling house, Aaron Person, claimant.

Block J.—12 lots fronting on Leby street of irregular depth, 138 feet and less. Lots 1, 2 and 3 vacant, lot 4, a small plank dwelling house one and a half stories high and small out buildings, Jacob Huber, claimant; lots 5 to 8 inclusive, a large frame stable, hog pen and wood house, fenced, and a garden on 5 and 6, Aaron Person, claimant; lots 9 and 10 small frame dwelling house, one and a half stories high, small out buildings, James Dyer, claimant, George Haupt occupant.

Block K.—11 lots fronting on Leby street, of irregular depth, 95 feet and less. Lots 1 to 6 inclusive, vacant; lots 7 and 8 also vacant, Cornelius Donohue claimant.

Block L.—(New Map) 6 lots fronting on Centre street, Lot 1, Red tavern stand, a two-story stone tavern house, corner of second and Centre streets with back plank kitchen, a large frame stable and other out buildings, a good well upon the premises and lots No 1 and 2 vacant in Block M belong with this property, and will be sold with it; the tavern lot is 56½ feet wide in front and 96 feet in the rear 140 ft. deep on second street, and 166 feet along line of lot No. 2, Isaac Edwards claimant and occupant; lots 2 and 3, 60 feet in front on Centre street and from 166 to 187 feet deep and 50 feet wide in the rear; on said lots are erected a two-story frame dwelling house 36x30, a frame stable and other out buildings, a good well on the premises, Eli Kindig and Ira Roadarmel, claimants; lots 4 and 5 fenced together, 81 feet front on Centre street, house burned down, John and Dominic Cosgrove, claimants; lot 6, vacant Gotlieb F. Eberly, claimant, being 31 feet in front and triangular in form

Block M.—(New Map) 7 lots fronting on alley in rear of Block L; lots 1 and 2 with Red Tavern stand, all the rest vacant.

Block N.—6 lots fronting on main public road mostly 140 feet in depth. Lots 1 and 2 vacant, A. W. Creamer, claimant; lots 3 and 4 vacant, Eli Kindig claimant; lots 5 and 6 making 50 feet front on main road or street by 140 feet deep on which is erected a good plank school house erected by Conyngham School District; lot 7 vacant, former claimant Nancy K. Wertman; lot 8, a small frame dwelling house and butcher stable, William M Harris, claimant; lot 9 a two-story frame dwelling house and out buildings, this lot is fenced with Nos. 8, claimant, Carrie Harris; lots 10 and vacant, Thomas Maltz, claimant; the remaining lots in this block vacant.

Block O.—13 lots fronting on Leby street of irregular depth, 180 feet and less. Lot 1, vacant, G. W. Stokes, claimant; lot 2, vacant; lots 3 and 4 fenced together, plank dwelling house and out-buildings, estate of Peter S. Helwig, claimant; lots 5 and 6, plank store house 20x40 feet, and plank dwelling house connected, 6x30 feet and out-buildings, Philip Kulb's heirs, claimants, William Goodman, occupant; lots 7 and 8, frame dwelling house, Aaron Person, claimant.

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Block K.—11 lots fronting on Leby street, of irregular depth, 95 feet and less. Lots 12 and 13 plank dwelling house 16x24, out-buildings and garden, George Miller, occupant; all the other lots in this division vacant

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Miscellaneous.

A LETTER.

[Read this first as it is, and then read every other line, Quite a difference will be apparent.]

I cannot be satisfied, my dearest friend!
Blest as I am in the matrimonial state,
Unless I pour into your friendly bosom,
Which has ever been in unison with mine,
The various sensations which swell
With the liveliest emotions of pleasure,
My almost bursting heart I tell my dear
Husband is the most amiable of men.
I have now been married seven weeks, and
Have never found the least reason to
Repent the day that joined us. My husband is
Both in person and manners far from resembling,
Ugly, cross, old, disagreeable, and jealous,
Monsters, who think by confining to secure
A wife it is his maxim to treat as a
Bosom friend——— and not as a
Play thing, or menial slave, the woman
Of his choice———neither party,
He says, should always obey implicitly;
But each should yield to the other by turns.
An ancient maiden aunt near seventy,
A cheerful, venerable, and pleasant old lady,
Lives in the house with us— she is the delight of both young and old; she is civil to all the neighborhood round,
Generous and charitable to the poor,
I am convinced my husband likes nothing more
Than he does me; he flatters me more
Than the glass, and his intoxication
(For so I must call the excess of his love)
Often makes me blush for the unworthyness
Of its object, and I wish I could be more deserving
Of the man whose name I bear—to
Say all in one word———, and to
Crown the whole——— my former lover
Is now my indulgent husband, my fondness
Is returned, and I might have had
A prince, without the felicity I find in
Him. Adieu, may you be as blessed as I am
Able to wish that I could be more
Happy!

Lost in the Woods of Sullivan County

Robert Gray and Frank Grattan, two young men of Waverly, Luzerne county, went recently to Sullivan county deer hunting. Last monday Mr. Gray shot a deer and finding the track of another he followed it up, and late in the afternoon succeeded in bringing down a fine buck. He then attempted to retrace his steps but darkening coming on he became bewildered and wondered several times around a swamp. At last, being tired, he found the hollow trunk of a tree, and lying down in it slept for some time. When he awoke his feet, which had become wet in his wanderings through the swamp, were so benumbed that he could scarcely walk. All day Tuesday and the greater part of Tuesday night he continued to wander about the woods, and on Wednesday no sign of civilization was to be found. Wednesday afternoon he heard the report of a gun, and he tried to discharge his piece, but the powder had become damp and his efforts were futile. During his travels through the swamp he had lost all of his ammunition and he had no means of making a noise. Wednesday night he slept but little and on Thursday morning he was nearly exhausted. He had eaten nothing since Monday except the buds which he had taken from the trees, and was no longer able to walk erect. During the greater part of Thursday he crawled about on his hands and knees, but in the afternoon he heard shouts of his friends, who for three days had been scouring the woods in search of him. He sent back a feeble shout and finally succeeded in attracting the attention of the searchers. He was conveyed home in a critical condition, but receiving kind treatment he soon began to revive and is now almost entirely recovered. He will not, however, soon forget his adventures in the forest of Sullivan county.—*Scranton Free Press.*

Large and Small Farming.

Western farmers, and the matter of the farmers in all parts of our country will do well to study the interesting statistics of French farming which General Butler laid before the Dairy fair assembled in this city. A great part of the troubles which now oppress the agricultural industries of too many of our states grow out of indebtedness incurred during the inflation period under Grant's administration, from 1869 to 1878. This indebtedness was incurred in order to increase the size of farms. It was not incurred to buy land of different quality from that already under cultivation, but to buy more of the same quality.

If the farmers had been able to pay for their new purchases out of accumulated earnings the purchases might have been more easily justified, but payment was as a rule chiefly made not in cash but in the forms of bond and mortgage, and this, too, at prices enormously inflated by Republican financiering. Much of this indebtness is now maturing; the farmers have not the wherewithal to pay the debt, and if the land purchased is sold under foreclosure it will not bring anything near the purchase price. Where the principal of the debt is not yet due the farmer is weighted down by the necessity of paying the highest rates of interest which in inflation time he incautiously promised to pay. Two things, therefore, have brought the farmer into his present difficulties. One of his own greed for more land and big farm, when his little farm was big enough, as General Butler has so clearly explained; and the other was the misleading influence of government paper money not based either on coin in the treasury vaults or on any other sort of capital. Under the operation of both of these causes many large farmers of the West have found themselves loaded with huge farms which are too large to be efficiently and economically managed by the owners even if the owners were free from debt. It is perhaps natural that farmers in this unfortunate condition should think that a hair of the 'paper' dog which bit them will effect a cure, and should therefore pray for more government paper to be issued under one pretense or another. But General Butler truly tells them what the farmers of France have discovered—that it is in small farms and not in large farms that the true philosopher's stone of agriculture is to be found. He might have added, and he should have added, that more government paper, unless depreciated, could not benefit the indebted farmers, because the same quantity of wheat, must be given to obtain the new dollar of paper, so long as it is undepreciated as to obtain a new dollar of gold. On the other hand, if the new paper is depreciated below gold, the farmer may get two paper dollars for a bushel of wheat, or the laborer for a day of his toil, instead of one gold dollar; but neither the farmer nor the laborer would be any better off for this, because the farmer would be obliged to pay a double price in paper to produce the wheat, and the laborer a double price in paper for everything needed to sustain himself and keep his family in comfort. General Butler touched a very large question when he called attention to the perils of great holdings of land in a single hand.—*N. Y. World.*

Useful to Know.

WORMS AT THE ROOTS OF PLANTS.—To exterminate worms at the roots of plants sprinkle soot out the range or flues of furnaces over the top of the ground, and it will cause the worms to crawl off.

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TO TAKE RUST OUT OF STEEL.—Place the article in a bowl containing kerosene oil, or wrap the steel up in a soft cloth well saturated with kerosene; let it remain twenty-four hours or longer; then scour the rusty spots with brick dust. If badly rusted use salt wet with hot vinegar; after scouring rinse every particle of brick dust or salt off with boiling hot water; dry throughly then polish off with a clean flannel cloth and a little sweet oil.

GUMBO.—The best gumbo is made with chicken, though veal and other meats are sometimes used, and is merely a stew made thick by the use of an abundance of okra pods. Gumbo soup is any soup to which sufficient okra is added to give it the desired thickness. The young and tender pods, boiled and dressed with melted butter, are asked by many, but they are rather too gamey for those who have not become accustomed to them. A dish made of the okra pods and tomatoes stewed together is also prepared.

TOMATO SOUP.—Get a piece of beef, of the shin, about two pounds; put it on the fire with enough water to cover it well; let it simmer slowly for about three hours; put on the fire in a small saucepan about a cupful of rice, barley or sago; fix a carrot, turnip, a leek and a little green celery top; reserve a little parsly; put the greens into the soup and let boil quickly for about three quarters of an hour; take off, strain the meat and vegetables out; put the rice in a can of tomatoes strained through a colander; put back on the fire and let simmer till needed; now put the parsley in the tureen and pour the soup on it.

CHICKEN SALAD.—Boil a large sized spring chicken about two hours; let it get cold; then remove all the skin and fat; then chop not quite as fine as mince meat; have the same quantity of chopped celery and the yolks of four boiled eggs pressed smooth with a silver or wooden spoon; then take one pint of sweet milk and bring it to a boiling heat; then add the yolks of two eggs well beaten; as soon as this dressing is cold add one teaspoonful of ground mustard rubb smooth with two tablespoonfuls of cider vinegar and pepper and salt to taste; then mix the whole nicely together and place on a platter, and trim the edges of the platter with the nicest of celery leaves.

The English language is wonderful for its aptness of expression. When a number of men and women get together and look at each other from the sides of the room—that's called a sociable. When a hungry crowd call upon a poor minister and eat him out of house and home—that's called a donation party.

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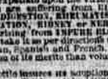

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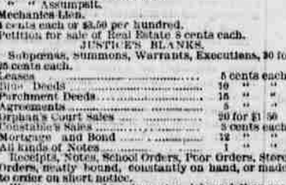

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The Sun has fairly earned the hearty hatred of rascals, frauds and humbugs of all sorts and sizes. It hopes to deserve that hatred not less in the year 1879, than in '78, '77, or any year gone by. The Sun will continue to shine on the wicked with unmitigated brightness.

While the lessons of the past should be constantly kept before the people, The Sun does not propose to make itself in 1879 a magazine of ancient history. It is private for the most part, and what is printed in it is printed chiefly with the affairs of to-day. It has both the disposition and the ability to afford its readers the promptest, fullest, and most accurate intelligence of whatever in the world is worth attention. To this end the resources belonging to well established prosperity will be liberally employed.

The present disjointed condition of parties in this country, and the uncertainty of the future, lend an extraordinary significance to the events of the coming year. The discussions of the press, the letters and acts of candidates, and the movements of the leaders in every section of the Republic will have a direct bearing on the presidential election of 1880. Parties will be formed and broken up. Questions will arise and be settled. Platforms will be framed and overthrown. Candidates will be put in nomination and defeated. Combinations will be made and unmade. Conventions will be held. Delegates will be chosen. Primaries will be packed. Votes will be cast. Votes will be counted. Votes will be thrown out. Votes will be stolen. Votes will be bought. Votes will be sold. Votes will be repeated. Votes will be forged. Votes will be returned. Votes will be canvassed. Votes will be certified. Votes will be contested. Votes will be decided. Votes will be lost. Votes will be won